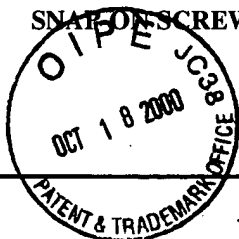


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Transmitted herewith in triplicate is the Appeal Brief in this application, with respect to the Notice of Appeal filed on:  
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Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

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- ☒ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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